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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 576

Part B for June 17

SUBJECT.

For a further representation for a recantidication of the decision of Govt as to the remuneration due to the Registrar, Chief Court for the preparation of the Digest of the Rulings of the Chief Court Reports.

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by Ch The Registrar, Chief Court
" The Comptroller
Rj. 5-216-15 Rj 28th June 17
Sanctions the payment of an addl honorarium
of Rs 600/- to the Registrar

Srinivasachar
9/11/17

W D 88—GPB—50,000—24-7-16

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(Courts.)

NOTES.

File No. 5317

FILE HEADING.

Honorarium to Mr. N. T. Gopaliengar, Registrar, Chief Court, for the work done by him in connection with the Digest of the Mysore Law & Chief Court Reports

From The Registrar, Chief Court of Mysore.

No. 261 Dated 15.4.18 Received 16.4.18

Diary No. 2449	Enclos.	Spare Copies.	Serial No. 5

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Forwards a further representation for a re-consideration of the decision of Govt. as to the remuneration due to him for the preparation of the work referred to above.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

Subd. for orders.

W.N. 9/4

2 The case was fully considered by the Council and the honorarium was then fixed at Rs 1200/-. It does not appear to be correct to say that the work was done out of office hours.

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WD 1232—GPB—20,000—18-11-1c

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3 Submitted for orders
8/5/18
Chief Secretary)

4 The routine note gives details of the estate sanctioned from time to time.

5 In view of the repeated recommendation of the Judges an addl remuneration of 600 Rs may perhaps be sanctioned.

1st member) 8/5/18 8/5

6 I am agreeable

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7 May be disposed of by circulation

Dewan 8/5/18 8/5

8 May be considered at a meeting of Council.

17.5.18

9 Circulate 8/5/18

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(For Disposal at a Meeting) No. C. 682

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

COUNCIL MATTER.

SUBJECT.

(Clause xv of the Schedule)

Representation of Mr. N.T.Gopalaiengar, Registrar, Chief Court, that the honorarium sanctioned for his work in connection with the preparation of the Law Digest may be increased.

CIRCULATED TO THE MEMBERS OF COUNCIL.

By Order,

C S Balachandra Iyer

Chief *Secretary to Government.*

20th May 1918.

Extraordinary Member of Council. Crow 23.5.

First Member of Council. Opinion recorded.

Second Member of Council. I agree also. It would be very desirable if the Registrar could be relieved of the duty of preparing the Digest. But I am afraid we cannot do anything in the matter at present. The Digest is a work which is undertaken by the Judges.

WD 2670—GPB—1,000—11-5-17

Extract from the Proceedings of the 452nd *Meeting of the Council of His Highness the Maharaja, held at Bangalore on the* 1st June *19* 18

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7. Subject.-Clause xv of the Schedule.

Representation of Mr. N.T.Gopalaiengar, Registrar, Chief Court, that the honorarium sanctioned for his work in connection with the preparation of the Law Digest may be increased.

OPINION OF THE COUNCIL.

An additional honorarium of Rs.600 may be allowed, in view of the strong recommendation of the Chief Court.

(Sd.) M.Visvesvaraya,
Dewan of Mysore.

"EXTRACT"

C S Balasundaram
Chief Secretary to Government.

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Extract from the Proceedings of the Council is put up.

Forwarded with compliments to the Financial Secretary to Government, ~~under paragraph 8 of the Government Order, dated the 6th May 1907~~. for favour of remarks.

By Order,

3rd June 1918. Chief Secretary to Government, ~~General Department.~~

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No financial objn if the amount rqd is met by reapprn this year or readjustment next year.

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pr D.F.M. 6/6

Subd. with a D. F.M. & D.S.A.

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~~Issue~~ For favour of approval

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First Member

Fair Final Note signed by the First Member is put up.

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B.S. 7/6

D.F.M. submitted

Dewan 8/6/18

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W. D. 135—GPB—200—29-7-15

Submitted to His Highness.

I submit herewith a Final Note by the First *Member of Council on the subject of* increasing the honorarium sanctioned to Mr. N.T.Gopaliengar, Registrar, Chief Court for his work in connection with the preparation of the Law Digest *for His Highness' gracious approval.*

M. Visvesvaraya

Dewan.

12th June 1918.

Final Note by the First Member of Council

Subject:—

Representation of Mr.N.T.Gopaliengar, Registrar, Chief Court, for enhanced remuneration for his work in connection with the preparation of the Digest of the Mysore Law etc.

On the recommendation of the Judges of the Chief Court for the grant of an honorarium of Rs.2000to Mr.N.T.Gopaliengar, Registrar, for his work in connection with the preparation of the Digest of the Mysore Law and Chief Court Reports, Government in their order No.J 3544-5/Cts.53-17-4 dated the 26th February 18, sanctioned the payment of an honorarium of two months' pay i.e. Rs.1200.

2. He has submitted a further representation and the Judges have thereupon recommended a reconsideration of the decision of Government as to the amount due as remuneration for a work of the utility and importance of the Digest.

3. In view of the repeated recommendation of the Judges, it was considered that an additional remuneration of Rs.600/ may be sanctioned and the Council are of opinion that this may be allowed.

4. The Financial Secretary has no objection to the payment of the enhanced remuneration.

5. The recommendation of the Council may be approved.

14 June 1918

First Member of Council.

C. 682

Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja

Subject.

Proposal to increase the honorarium sanctioned to Mr. N.T. Gopaliengar, Registrar, Chief Court, for his work in connection with the preparation of the Law Digest.

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	Subd. with a draft order. Issue before 4 P.M. today. K.V. 24/6/18
6	To The Registrar each court. The comptroller no J 52 M-15. 28th June 18 Sanctions the payment of an additional honorarium of Rs 1600 to Dr. Gopalaiengar.

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R. O. C. No: 261

17-18

16 APR 1918

Chief Court of Mysore,

Bangalore, dated the 13th April 1918.

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From

N.T. Gopaliengar, Esq., B.A., LL B.,

Registrar of the Chief Court of Mysore.

To

C.S. Balasundaram Iyer, Esq., B.A.,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore.

S i r ,

Adverting to Government Order No. J.3544-5/Cts. 53-17-2 dated the 26th February 1918 sanctioning the payment of an honorarium of two months' pay to me for my work in connection with the preparation of the Law Digest, I am directed to forward the enclosed representation which I have ventured to submit in the matter, and to state that the Judges will be glad if in view of the reasons and circumstances brought to notice therein, the Government can see their way to a reconsideration of their decision as to the amount that is fairly due as remuneration for a work of the utility and importance of the Digest and entailing the labour, research and supervision involved in its preparation.

I am to request that the Government may be pleased to pass favourable orders in the matter.

I have the honor to be,

S i r ,

Your most obedient servant,

N. Gopaliengar

REGISTRAR.

HCC.

Submitted.

On my representation to the Judges made on the 22nd August 1917 mentioning in detail the circumstances under which I took up the work of preparing a Digest of the Mysore Chief Court Reports, and the different stages of the progress of that work to its completion, the Judges were pleased to recommend me to the Government for the grant of an honorarium of Rs.2000/- after deliberate consideration. The Government however were pleased to reduce the amount from Rs.2000/- to Rs.1200/-. I feel that the amount fixed by the Government is not commensurate with the labour and thought bestowed on the work, and I therefore submit a further representation for consideration and transmission to the Government with the support of the Judges.

The work was first sought to be entrusted to private agency, and in the event of our not getting any reasonable offer from practitioners it was contemplated to recommend to the Government the appointment of a special duty officer to get through the work. I have already submitted in the 2nd para of my first note what offers we had from private parties, offers which the Judges were not prepared to accept. The Judges were inclined to ask the Government to depute an officer of at least the grade of a Munsiff of the last class on special duty, but for the fact that I offered to prepare a digest outside office hours and without prejudice to my ordinary duties as Registrar.

I submit that if the work had been entrusted either to the Government Press or to any local printer, the cost to the Government would have been enormous considering the continuous rise in the cost of paper since

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the commencement of the war, and the work would have been delayed indefinitely long. The Judges are aware that but for my personal influence with the printers at Madras the work would have ~~been~~ taken very much longer for finishing and the cost would not have been so low as at present.

I submit for the consideration of the Judges that in other departments, departmental publications such as the Village and Taluk Manuals and the Manuals of the Account Department of the Comptroller's office have been got through or are in the course of preparation and that the cost to the Government in respect of them has been quite out of proportion with the cost of the Digest notwithstanding that the Digest is very much bigger in size than the above departmental publications. To give only two examples, I submit that retired Deputy Commissioner, Mr. K. Srinivasa Rao was specially requested by the Government to compile the Village and Taluk Manuals with an establishment of an Amildar of the 3rd Grade placed on special duty under him with an allowance of Rs.50 per month, and with a clerical establishment varying in strength for a period of two years. I have roughly calculated the cost of this arrangement excluding the cost of printing and paper, as also the honorarium to be fixed hereafter for Mr. Srinivasa Rao. The Government have already incurred an expenditure of nearly Rs.10134-8-0 as detailed in the margin.

Pay of the Special Duty Amildar with special allowance.	Rs.	6187-8-0.
Cost of establishment.	"	3229-8-0.
House Rent. . .	"	580-0-0.
Contingencies. .	"	137-8-0.
Total.	Rs.	10134-8-0.

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The Government have been recently pleased in their Order No. Fl. 3747-96/G.F. 95-17-6 dated the 18th January 1918 to sanction a monthly expenditure of Rs.822 for a period of one year for the special establishment for revising existing Manuals of the Comptroller's office and to bring them up to date. These publications are I submit only useful to the special departments for which they are intended, and not for the general use of all, as the Digest is. It is not likely that the departmental publications mentioned above could find sales with the general public, and there is no prospect of the money spent by the Government being realised, whereas in the case of the Digest, I submit the cost has been realised already and the Curator will perhaps find further sales year after year for the existing copies which have been handed over to him under the orders of the Government.

I submit if the Government had been put to the necessity of appointing a special duty officer with at least two clerks, and that officer was able to complete the work within one year working whole time instead of two as I did, the minimum cost would have been not less than Rs.3000. Or if I had entered into an arrangement with the Chief Court for the preparation of the Digest as a private publication, and requested the Government to purchase a definite number of copies from me, I am sure they would have agreed to such an arrangement as they did in the case of the late Mr. Hayes and Munsiff Mr. A. Srinivasa Raghavachari~~ar~~, and I would have realised not less than Rs.2000/- from the sale of 200 copies to the Government, and the cost of paper and printing would have been realised by me by the sale of copies to practitioners and the outside public in addition to a profit of at

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least Rs.3000/-. I would besides have a stock of books which would fetch me an income proportionate to the demand from the public. I did not suggest this arrangement to the Government as profit was not my sole motive and I wished to serve the Government to the best of my ability with a minimum cost to the Government. Or if the Government had been pleased to fix an allowance of 20% on my salary for a period of two years during which I was engaged in compiling the Digest, as has been ordered in the case of Mr. Shamanna, Assistant Comptroller, I should have got Rs.2880/-. The sum fixed by the Judges was thus most moderate.

I feel that my work has not been as generously dealt with as in the case of officers who have been placed on special duty to compile Manuals in the other departments, and I must attribute this to my ill luck. I submit the clerk who was employed under me for the special duty in connection with the Digest was getting a salary of Rs.40/-, and I have been granted only Rs.50/- monthly for the period of two years that I worked.

I feel confident that if these circumstances are placed before the Government with the strong support of the Chief Court, the Government will be graciously pleased to reconsider their order reducing the honorarium from Rs.2000/- to Rs.1200/-.

N. Gopalan

REGISTRAR.

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Section Courts

File No. 53-17

Serial No. 6

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Proceedings of the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

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Date of issue 28/6/18

Signed by W. G. Greenwark

Read.—

G.O. no. J 3544-67 ch 53-17-4 dt the 26th Febr 1918 sanctioning the payment of an honorarium of Rs 1200/- to Mr. N. J. Gopala Iyengar, Registrar of the Chief Court for work in connection with the preparation of the Digest of the Mysore Law & Chief Court Reports.

Order Thereon:— No.

2. Letter no. R.O.C 261/8 16th April 1918 from the Registrar, Chief Court, forwarding a further representation of his for

over.

May this be

i Printed?

ii treated as a standing order?

iii published in the Gazette English part?

iv translated?

v placed at the disposal of the press?

vi published in the Gazette Kannada part?

nhanced remuneration in connection
with the work referred to above.
Order: J 521G-15

In view of the strong
recommendation of the Chief Court,
Govt. are pleased to sanction the
payment of an additional honorarium
of Rs 600/- to Mr. Gopala Iyengar.

By order
For Chief Secy

The Registrar, Chief Court of Mysore
" Comptroller, Mysore Govt.

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List of enclosures.

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